

66 LOSE LIVES WHEN STEAMER SINKS

FRENCH CRUISER RAMS SHIP OFF DELAWARE COAST

City of Athens, Carrying Crew of 135 Men, 24 United States Marines and French Sailors Goes Down Within Seven Minutes After Collision—Sixty Eight Persons Rescued.

(By Associated Press)

ATLANTIC PORT, May 1.—Sixty-six persons lost their lives when the Steamship City of Athens, bound from New York to Savannah, was rammed and sunk by a French cruiser off the Delaware coast at 1 o'clock this morning. The missing include ten men and two women who were passengers, seven out of 24 United States marines who were on board, fourteen out of twenty French sailors and thirty-three members of the crew.

Fire Follows Collision.

All the passengers and many of the crew were in their berths when the bow of the warship plunged into the side of the 2300 ton coast-wise vessel. Fire broke out almost immediately in hold No. 1, but it had no bearing on the fate of the ship for the flames were quickly quenched by the rush of water which poured in.

No Time to Get Boats Away.

Captain J. Forward one of the veteran commanders in the service of the Ocean Steamship company, owners of the vessel, did his best to avert a panic and man the life boats. So quickly did the doomed vessel sink however, that there was no time to get the boats away and many of those who perished were trapped in their berths. Those of the passengers and crew who were able to reach the deck all of them thinly clad and many without life preservers, plunged into the sea. The cruiser launched life boats immediately after the crash and turned its searchlights upon the waters in which the men and women were struggling for their lives. Sixty-eight persons were picked up and brought back to this port by the war ship which was not seriously damaged.

Those Believed Lost

The following passengers are believed to have been lost:
M. Green, Astoria, N. Y.
James J. Kastl, Morristown, N. J.
Richard Bonzeiner, Mobile, Ala.
Miss E. G. Stiles, New York City.
Jean Cadron, New York City.
Rev. J. P. Reynolds, New York City.
Isaac Dalzell, Paterson, N. J.
Mrs. F. D. Holthan, Hyde Park, Mass.
Edward Clugg, Savannah, Ga.
R. A. Young, Brooklyn, N. Y.
The following United States marines were drowned:
F. R. Dickinson, S. H. Tynge, H. Rosenberg, W. J. Mack, S. Ginsberg, H. E. Wetmore.

Known Survivors.

The known survivors among the passengers are:
Mrs. R. Harrison and baby, of New York City.
Dr. A. J. Kemp, New York City.
Mrs. Richard Bonzeiner, Mobile, Ala.
Alden McClaskie, New York City.
Dr. E. L. Brooks, Atlanta, Ga.
John Green, Paterson, N. J.
J. F. O'Brien, Jr., Savannah, Ga.
Miss Etta Levy, Bridgeport, Conn.
Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Gewahr and child, Brooklyn, N. Y.
H. McMillan, Port Royal, N. C.
Among the members of the crew believed to have been lost are:
Charles Cooke, assistant engineer; James Poole, oiler; Nick Salinas, water tender.

SITUATION ALONG U. S. SECTOR QUIET

(By Associated Press)

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON A FRENCH BATTLE FRONT, Tuesday, April 30.—(By The A. P.)—The situation along the American sector gradually is becoming stabilized. There have been no infantry encounters in the last 48 hours, although small patrol parties or outposts have met in the darkness and mist. Despite rain and poor visibility the American and French artillery have been most active in shelling operations. A certain American battery has been laying a heavy barrage on enemy batteries and positions around a certain village which has been virtually wiped out. The German artillery is less active than on the days immediately following the Americans' appearance on this sector. The German are throwing some gas shells. Weather conditions prevent aerial activity on either side.

AMERICANS BRING DOWN GERMAN AIRPLANE

Forced Down In Enemy Territory By Captain Hall and Lieutenant Rickenbacher After Duel Over American Line In Toul Sector.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Tuesday, April 30.—(By The Associated Press)—A German airplane was brought down in enemy territory last night by Captain Norman Hall of Colfax, Ia., and Lieutenant Edward V. Rickenbacher of Columbus, Ohio, after a duel over the American line on the Toul sector.

The American birdmen first engaged the enemy machine over the American lines. Lieutenant Rickenbacher, well known as an automobile racer in the United States, swept over the boche and opened fire with his machine-gun while Captain Hall, formerly a member of the Lafayette Escadrille, darted behind the German and also opened fire. The German made desperate attempts to escape and several bullets pierced Captain Hall's machine.

The Americans peppered the German plane and drove it down until it fell behind the German trenches. Captain Hall and Lieutenant Rickenbacher returned from the fight unscathed. This was the third enemy machine to be logged by the Americans in three weeks while several others have been reported brought down unofficially.

Captain Hall served as a private in the British army at the outbreak of the war and is with the French aerial forces. He is the author of "Killer's Mob."

New York, May 1.—Lieutenant "Eddie" Rickenbacher, victor in an air duel over the American lines in France, resigned as chauffeur at the wheel of General Pershing's automobile because he wanted more speed, according to friends here, and obtained a commission in the aviation service. Rickenbacher, hero of many thrilling automobile races in this country and holder of a number of motor records at the age of thirty, first came into prominence as a speed driver in 1911 when he appeared at Indianapolis. In 1914 at Sioux City, Ia., he won the 300 mile speedway and afterward made creditable records at Omaha and other places.

AMERICANS REPULSE HEAVY GERMAN ATTACK

Yanks Display Marked Bravery Thruout Extremely Violent Struggle

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN FRANCE, May 1.—By the Associated Press.—A heavy German attack launched yesterday against the Americans in the vicinity of Villers-Bretonneux was repulsed with heavy losses for the enemy. The German preliminary bombardment lasted two hours and then the infantry rushed forward only to be driven back leaving large numbers of dead on the ground in front of the American lines.

The German bombardment opened at 5 o'clock in the afternoon and was directed especially against the Americans, who were supported on the north and south by the French. The fire was intense and at the end of two hours the German commander sent forward three battalions of infantry. There was hand to hand fighting all along the line as a result of which the enemy was thrust back his dead and wounded lying on the ground in all directions. Five prisoners remained in American hands.

The struggle which lasted a considerable time was extremely violent and the Americans displayed marked bravery thruout.

It was the first occasion in which the Americans were engaged in the battle which has been raging since March 21 and their French comrades are full of praise for the manner in which they conducted themselves under trying circumstances especially in view of the fact that they are fighting at one of the most difficult points on the battle front. The American losses were rather severe.

ANOTHER BIT OF HUN PROPAGANDA

Washington Officials Believe German Influence Is Being Brought to Bear on Pope to Intervene.

Washington, May 1.—Wireless despatches dated The Hague and quoting Cologne newspapers as saying Pope Benedict intends to issue a new peace offer May 19, were accepted in official circles here today as another bit of German propaganda. Hereafter the state department has been able to gather an intimation of the purpose of the pontiff to initiate peace proposals but not a suggestion of such an intention has come from any source recently.

The statement in the despatch that the news of the pope's purpose had reached Berlin where it

has been received sympathetically was taken here to indicate that German influence is being brought to bear on the pontiff to intervene. Assuming such to be the case officials feel that there might be some grounds for believing that the efforts to attain a military decision this summer are doomed to failure.

ARMY OFFICER ACQUITTED.

Honolulu, May 1.—A jury after deliberating six minutes today acquitted Captain Henry Allen, retired sea captain who April 14, last, shot and killed S. J. Walker for cursing the American flag. Immediately following his acquittal, Allen was surrounded by soldiers who draped a flag about him and formed a bodyguard as he left the court.

14 SURVIVORS OF STR. FLORENCE H REACH NEW YORK

Men Describe Scenes Following Terrible Internal Explosion

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, May 1.—The American Steamship Florence H., carrying a cargo of smokeless powder which was destroyed by an internal explosion April 17 near a French port with the death or injury of all but 32 of her complement of 79 men, went down in less than 15 minutes according to 14 survivors of the vessel who arrived here today. The explosion tore out almost the entire starboard side of the ship, the survivors said and flames from the burning powder instantly enveloped the entire vessel.

Captain F. J. Butterfield and all his deck officers were lost and only two of the engine room officers escaped uninjured.

Those who did escape death had to batter down the wrecked doors of their state rooms, fight their way to the deck and then to the rail thru walls of flame, before they could leap into the sea.

Even in the water they were subjected to a bombardment of burning boxes and a shower of burning powder. The life saving equipment was destroyed by the explosion. All but six of the navy gun crew of twenty three men were trapped in their quarters by the deck buckling and closing the exits. They either were burned to death before the ship sank or were drowned when she went down. Captain Butterfield and his deck officers were quartered in wooden deck houses near where the explosion occurred and the structures which sheltered them were instantly enveloped in flames cutting off all chance of escape.

"We were one of a convoy of thirteen ships," said John Durst of Hornell, N. Y., seaman. "We had just anchored for the night. The explosion occurred at 10:15 when the majority of the crew was below. I do not believe it was caused by a torpedo as the first explosion was not heavy enough to indicate that. It was more like a small blast almost instantly followed by other explosions which continued until the ship went down. With my mates I fought my way to the deck, dashed thru a mass of flames and went over the side. Some of the fellows grabbed floating boxes of powder to keep them afloat and a number were killed by these boxes exploding. It is possible a bomb was planted in the ship before we sailed, but I doubt it. We were on the way seventeen days and that would have been a long time ahead to have set a time fuse. We were on the water about a half hour before we were picked up by a destroyer and afterward landed at Brest."

Eighteen survivors were still in French hospitals when the men arrived here today, said.

Many of those left in France were seriously injured. Among the men who arrived here today were J. B. Watson, chief engineer and Newland Strickland first assistant engineer, both of Brooklyn, N. Y.

OFFICIAL STATEMENTS

LONDON, May 1.—"The enemy's artillery has been active to-day against the back areas in the neighborhood of Bethune and has heavily shelled French positions in the Loere sector," says Field Marshal Haig's communication issued tonight. "On the remainder of the front there is nothing to report beyond the usual artillery activity and local encounters on both sides."

PARIS, May 1.—The war office tonight says: "There is nothing to report during the course of the day except quite bombardments in the region north of Montdidier. "On April 30—Sub-Lieut. Guerlin brought down his twentieth enemy machine."

VIENNA, May 1.—Via London.—An official statement issued today by the Austrian war office says: "More lively fighting activity on the southwestern front continued thruout the whole of yesterday. Italian reconnaissances were frustrated at several points."

BERLIN, May 1.—via London.—The official communication from headquarters today reads: "Western Theater: In Flanders the firing duel in the Loere and Dranoutre sectors revived, greater intensity. French forces, thrown fresh into the battle at tempted vainly to press forward

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EXPANSION OF SHIP BUILDING PROGRAM

Chairman Hurley Announces that 206 Additional Wooden Vessels Will be Constructed.

Washington, May 1.—Expansion of the shipbuilding program to provide for the construction of 200 additional wooden vessels of 4,500 or 4,700 deadweight tons was announced tonight by Chairman Hurley of the shipping board. This will increase to 580 the number of wooden ships completed or building or planned. The vessels which will be either of the Dougherty or Ballin type will be constructed in ship yards already established and will be allotted, Mr. Hurley said among yards which are most efficiently managed. Construction of the ships will be started as soon as vessels now building are off the stocks. The board also decided today to authorize the construction of 25 new seagoing tugs increasing to 200 the number of such craft now building for the board. The tugs will be employed in coast traffic replacing those diverted overseas.

It also was made known today that with the re-opening of navigation of the Great Lakes, 34 vessels built here since last fall were brought to the Atlantic and now are enroute to Atlantic ports or are loading preparatory to their maiden voyages. They aggregate approximately 100,000 tons. Of 33 ships in lake yards scheduled for completion this month 16 are begun to take on crews and cargoes. These new vessels with an aggregate tonnage of 50,000 have been located by the bureau of operations of the shipping board to the New England coal carrying trade.

NATIONAL 'MATCH THE PRESIDENT' BOND CONTEST

"Buy Another Bond" Movement Develops As Boom Feature

WASHINGTON, May 1.—The "buy another bond" movement developed by liberty loan headquarters as a boom feature for the final days of the campaign grew into a national "match the president" contest. President Wilson agreed to take another \$50 bond on the installment plan and appealed for a million others to do likewise. Tonight when the president went to a theater and formally offered his "buy another" subscription to a minute speaker, nearly a quarter of a million men in the audience of a "match the president" celebration with four minute men seeking to harvest a multitude of new pledges or re-subscriptions for \$50 or any multiple of that sum. In 20,000 meeting places during the remainder of the week "buy another bond" will be a campaign cry to drive the total loan across the three billion line. The total reported was \$2,579,079,400. Four minute men and other liberty loan speakers were notified of the exact situation regarding the third loan and were told that an avalanche of dollars was absolutely necessary in the next few days.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY TO INDICTMENT

PEORIA, Ill., May 1.—Charles H. Kammann, former principal of the Lincoln school and late president of the German-American Alliance here, today in the United States district court pleaded not guilty to an indictment for violation of the espionage act. Judge J. Otis Humphrey set the case for Monday next. A demurrer to the first nine counts in the indictment on the claim that they merely represented opinions of the defendant, was overruled by the court who said that "now is no time for opinions."

CHICAGO DEPARTMENT STORE QUILTS BUSINESS

CHICAGO, May 1.—Siegel Cooper and Company one of the largest department stores of Chicago, occupying a block in State Street, has been sold to the Poston Store for \$1,750,000. It was learned today. The purchase covers stock and good will. The store it is said, will be closed. The Siegel Cooper and Company store was reorganized a few years ago after the failure of the Henry Siegel chain of stores in the east.

BOHEMIAN TROOPS JOINING ITALIANS AGAINST AUSTRIA

NORWEGIAN STEAMER SUNK BY COLLISION

Fjell Goes Down Off Virginia Coast After Colliding With British Steamer Livingstonia.

(By Associated Press)

An Atlantic Port, May 1.—The Norwegian Steamer Fjell was sunk off the Virginia coast at midnight last night after colliding with a British steamer.

The collision occurred in a heavy fog. The Steamer Livingstonia outward bound from this port crashed bow on amidships of the Fjell, which was coming down the coast. With a great hole in her hull the Norwegian vessel sank soon after the crew had taken to the boats.

Captain Johannesen of the Fjell and his crew lost all their effects, many of the men reaching the boats half clothed. The captain said his ship was sounding her fog signal regularly and taking all proper precautions and that the Livingstonia will be libelled for damages. The British captain would not discuss the collision further than to say that he would make a full report at the proper time. The Fjell was a little vessel of 581 net tons. The Livingstonia's tonnage is 2,799.

PAROLE AGENTS NAMED.

Springfield, Ill., May 1.—Four parole agents were certified today by the civil service commission to the division of pardons and paroles. They are Colonel James R. Marshall of Chicago, County Judge John C. Work of Rushville, Walter O'Brien of Chicago and Michael L. Munzie of Belleville.

WILL PRESENT ARMY INCREASE PLAN TODAY

To Rush Men As Fast as They Can Be Equipped, Trained and Transported

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Secretary Baker will carry to congress tomorrow the army increase program mapped out by President Wilson and his advisers and based on the determination to win the war if it takes the whole manpower of the nation to do it. There are indications that he will ask that all restrictions on the number of troops to be raised be removed and the government authorized to mobilize as many men as it can equip, train and send to the battle front in France.

When the war secretary appears before the house military committee with supplemental estimates for the army he is expected to disclose that the department has reason to believe it can handle during the present year at least double the existing force under arms of approximately 1,600,000 men. That would mean a total of 3,200,000 soldiers for whom clothing, equipment and transportation are now in sight. Should additional facilities become available, however, it is indicated that President Wilson wishes to be able to call out more men without delaying to seek authority.

Evidence came today in various ways of the tremendous effort that now is being made to send American armies into the fight in such numbers and in such time as to make victory certain. In the morning the heads of the shipping board and the war industries board met with the war council composed of army officials. Details of additional ships and supplies were gone into it is understood on the basis of the recent survey of the situation. Later the president's war cabinet met with him at the White House and went over the ground thoroughly. Secretary Baker remained more than an hour with the president after the other members of the cabinet had left.

Dent Introduces Bill.

In the house Chairman Dent of the military committee, introduced a bill that would authorize the mobilization of 4,000,000 selective service men instead of the 1,000,000 men to which the government is limited under the existing act. Mr. Dent said the measure was his own and he had not consulted the war department on it. Under the classification scheme there are understood to be 1,800,000 men immediately available for active military service in Class 1. The military service is based on returns of numerous states and the law of average. It includes all men rated as fit only for "limited special service" all delinquents, slated for immediate induction into Class 1 when apprehended and all of the so-called remedial cases, the men who will be fit for active service after operations or medical treatment to correct minor physical defects. Behind that also stand the men who have reached 21 years since the draft act was passed and who will be brought in under pending amendments. Probably the total of effective in Class 1 will

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The prediction of 1,800,000 Americans in France may be realized sooner than expected.

The reported surplus of a million bushels of potatoes hardly means one potato per capita.

Many school boys have enlisted for service on farms, but as yet there is no great demand for them.

The latest reports show the allies are holding fast, even gaining at many points on the battle front in Flanders.

Do not take time to swat the pro-kaiserite at home—but report them promptly to the proper authorities.

Teuton writers now estimate German casualties five million—a greater number than given out by British officials.

In buying a Liberty Bond or a "baby" bond you are not buying a "pig in a poke." You know what you are getting and you know it is worth the money.

A "mystery" cannon is being built in this country. Let us hope it will never be trained on hospitals or churches.

The fighting slogan in France is "carry on" as the battle rages. Let us stay at home and make it ring sharp and clear as we "carry on" the purchase of Thrift Stamps or bonds, according to our means.

Be cautious of your investments. There are many schemes floating around, a few of them good perhaps, but government bonds are sure and safe and pay a fair rate of interest.

Former President Taft is proving one of the most loyal and valuable supporters the present administration has. Not that he is a Democrat, but he knows that the country is at war and is doing all that he can to help it. The help that he is giving to the Liberty Bond campaign is invaluable. Scarcely a word of criticism falls from his lips, but it is

noticed that wherever he goes he summons the people to loyal endeavor. Today he stands as one of the men in whose judgment the people of the country have large confidence.

MEN AND MONEY. If Germany should win this war the first book of American history would be definitely closed. Away back at the beginning we had a month's excitement over the prospect of war with France. In 1812 we fought a little war with England. Many men still living remember the twenty-four hour flutter over Cleveland's Venezuela message to England. But for 140 years war with a great European power has played about as much part in our national calculations as one of those supposititious collisions with a comet does in the calculations of an individual. As a nation we have grown to full manhood unafraid.

Everybody outside a lunatic asylum knows that conditions would definitely end if Germany should win this war. So long as the German power continued at anything like such a height, victory would now raise it to preparation for national defense would be our foremost and overwhelming national interest. That the United States can continue to be any such free, roomy, elastic affair as heretofore if its paramount interest becomes a military interest is certainly unthinkable.

That the future organization, complexion, and bent of the United States—was one of the questions Hindenburg elected to try out on the western front in the third week of March. At one stage of the trial a report from Holland said it had cost the British and French 250,000 men—while Pershing's bulletins put American casualties at a few score.

Our allies are dying by the hundred thousands in this cause. We are furnishing money and goods. The least we can do is to furnish the money cheerfully; abundantly. The man who reads the news from France and does not subscribe to the limit of his ability to this Liberty loan is no American.—Saturday Post.

A PUBLIC DUTY. Our exemption board deserves praise for the manner in which they have handled the departure of men to the various camps. But it is well to call the attention of our people to the fact, as yet they have not received one dollar of compensation and have no funds except for the most necessary expenses. The duty of the board is purely to see that the men selected are properly delivered at the train. The departure of the young colored boys a few days ago was made the occasion of untiring of the churches of that race, to show the men their people were proud of them and to show the loyalty of the stay at home to the cause the boys are going out to fight for. It was a voluntary testimonial.

They did not try to hide their enthusiasm or their appreciation of the fact that the young men of their race were ready to face death for the cause. These men left in high spirits and ready. The testimonial given by the people of their race on their departure will make them feel with a greater sense of their responsibility when they leave the camp trained for the grim duty of war. Every part in the program of that night was taken by volunteers—the speakers, the singers, the band, the banquet. The people who packed the court house, the people who stood for hours during the exercises paid a voluntary tribute. People of our white race should recognize the fact that it is not the sole duty of the exemption board to see that the new men are given a proper send-off. Why not organize by churches, by societies or in some way so that a list of volunteer speakers, and of the many musicians in the city may be arranged so that a greater effort may be made.

Do not leave all the time and work for your neighbor and then find fault that all things are not as you think they should be.

RIPLING RHYMS

By Walt Mason

SPRING MOTORING. The choo-choo motor has arrived, the roads are good the fields are green; I'm thankful that I have survived to burn a lot more gasoline. The winter, cold and long and drear, killed off a lot of jays and rubes; how glad am I that I'm still here, to blow myself for inner tubes! Sometimes I thought, when tempests shrieked, I wouldn't live to see the spring, for rheumatism thru me streaked, and wrenched my joints like everything. When blizzards, whooping down from some where bawling angrily and loud, I called moricians to my home, to figure on a bier and shroud. But I hung on thru sleet and snow, the lamp of life maintained its flame, and now springtime broods blow you! See me in the motor game, I'll buy some bonds to save the boons inherited from martial sires; I'll spend some bones for bread and prunes, and blow some more for rubber tires. I've cut out rich cigars and wines, and made a simple bill of fare; I'll need my change to pay my fines for busting speed laws, and there, I'll hang a portion of long green to help the Red Cross work, that's best; the bulk will go for gasoline—mechanics then will get the rest.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

May 2, 1863.—A grand parade and review of all the troops at Camp Butler took place. Saturday, May 2, at Springfield. The commander expressed himself highly pleased with the appearance and discipline of the troops.

BENEFIT BALL For Passavant Hospital laundry fund, Friday evening, May 3. K. of C. hall. You are invited. Tickets \$1.

NORTONVILLE

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kelley of Durbin neighborhood, was buried in the Nortonville cemetery last Wednesday. Mrs. Myrtle Henry of Waverly is visiting in the community. The local Woman's club will again take up the knitting sweaters, as there is a great demand for them to be furnished by the Red Cross of Morgan county. A number of the young people attended the patriotic meeting and pie social at Durbin Tuesday evening.

\$100 REDUCTION

99 model 1918 Overland touring cars \$100 under the regular price to close out. J. F. Claus Motor company.

COMMISSIONED A MAJOR.

Dr. Herbert A. Feltz of Chicago was commissioned Major in the Medical corps of the army in Chicago yesterday. Dr. Feltz is a native of White Hall. He studied dentistry at Northwestern under Dr. G. V. Black and practiced his profession in Bloomington for several years. He then went back to school and took a medical course and specialized along certain lines. For a number of years he was located in this city and has many friends here who will be glad to learn of his preferment.

NOTICE.

To my friends and patients, I have removed my dental office from 317 to 321 West State Street. Where I can be found in the future.

Yours truly, Dr. F. C. Noyes.

PUPILS OF 4TH GRADE

MORTON SCHOOL "OVER TOP." The pupils of the Fourth grade of the Morton school taught by Miss Gussie Duffer have gone "over the top" in the sale of Thrift stamps. The room is 100 per cent in both Thrift stamp sales and Junior Red Cross membership. It is the second room in the city to reach the coveted goal and the pupils are naturally proud of their record.

SEED CORN

My seed corn has arrived. I have it at my residence No. 202 N. Prairie St. Ill. phone No. 412. F. L. Hairgrove.

Miss Hattie Wells of Carlinville was visiting in the city Wednesday.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR RENT—Four room cottage, 1341 South Clay avenue, practically new, good condition, garden already in. Call 1251 South East. Ill. phone 1294. 5-2-31.

Y. M. C. A. FUND IS PAST \$2,000 MARK

Teams Reported Additional Pledges Yesterday of \$811— Campaign to Extend Into Country.

The Y. M. C. A. campaign fund as reported at the noon luncheon Wednesday was \$2,035. This represents collections of \$811 since the reports given at noon Tuesday. The total collections by teams are as follows:

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| W. E. Spoons | \$ 373.50 |
| L. T. Potter | 143.00 |
| Fletcher Hopper | 45.00 |
| Mrs. J. H. Danskin | 174.00 |
| Eb Spink | 428.00 |
| T. W. Callahan | 220.00 |
| C. B. Graff | 511.00 |
| Mrs. O. E. Tandy | 145.50 |

Total \$2,035.00

Following the luncheon yesterday at which Rev. E. K. Towle presided, it was decided that the canvass should extend into the country as there are many residents of the rural precincts who are thoroughly interested in the Y. M. C. A. Members of Eb Spink's team will today visit a number of country homes. Announcement was also made that additional list of names is being prepared and that members of the various teams may secure additional prospects at the luncheon today.

Pledges reported subsequent to the list previously published, up to noon Wednesday, follow:

Pledges for Wednesday May 1st

| Name | Amount |
|----------------------------|---------|
| Andre and Andre | \$50.00 |
| Andrews, F. J. | 10.00 |
| Andre, Harriet | 2.00 |
| Ayers, Miss Gertrude | 5.00 |
| Abbott, E. Louise | 2.00 |
| Atherton, C. C. | 5.00 |
| Adams, A. L. | 15.00 |
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| Brown, E. W. | 25.00 |
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| Barnes Mudge N. | 3.00 |
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| Bahan, Daniel | 1.00 |
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| Cook, W. F. | 2.50 |
| Clamp, Dr. L. H. | 5.00 |
| Coates, Prince | 5.00 |
| Cody and Williamson | 10.00 |
| Clarke, Dan L. | 5.00 |
| Cassell, R. T. | 5.00 |
| Clarke, Mrs. A. B. | 10.00 |
| Chapin, H. A. | 3.00 |
| Cunningham, Mrs. Robt. | 1.00 |
| Cochran, C. C. | 15.00 |
| Capps, Alfred | 20.00 |
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| Chopchase, J. W. | 5.00 |
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| Dyes, A. A. | 3.00 |
| Duncan, Dr. W. P. | 5.00 |
| Dobyns, H. D. | 5.00 |
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| Deppie, C. J. | 5.00 |
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| Gillham, W. W. | 5.00 |
| Hubble, B. H. | 5.00 |
| Holmes, Julia H. | 10.00 |
| Hoffmann, Harry | 5.00 |
| Howe, D. M. | 5.00 |
| Harrigan Bros. | 5.00 |
| Haskell, Mrs. Thurman | 5.00 |
| Henneghan & McNamara | 10.00 |
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| Jacob Cohen and Sons | 5.00 |
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| Kennibrew, A. H. Dr. | 5.00 |
| Kelly, J. J. | 3.00 |
| Kendall, Geo. B. | 10.00 |
| Luken, W. H. | 5.00 |
| Loneragan, Clara A. | 1.00 |
| Long, J. A. | 5.00 |
| Lippincott, J. P. | 10.00 |
| Leavitt, Paul | 1.50 |
| McCarthy-Gebert Co. | 10.00 |
| Miller Bros. | 10.00 |
| Mallen and Son J. J. | 5.00 |
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| Mathis Kamm and Shibe | 25.00 |
| Mullinex and Hamilton | 5.00 |
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| Spith, Otto | 5.00 |
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| Wadsworth, Mary | 5.00 |
| Wood, Geo. | 2.00 |
| Walters, Leach E. | 2.00 |
| Whipp, Helen | 1.00 |
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| Wilson, Wm T. | 10.00 |
| Zell, J. H. | 2.00 |

THE COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL

I have been waiting and wondering why there is not more publicity from press and platform given to the question of whether we shall vote for or against a community high school. This is a vital question, not only to our public schools, but to the welfare and progress of our city and community. Only ten days remain till we shall vote on the matter. Few seem to know of the election, of its object or effect, or of the size of the proposed district. The subject demands intelligent investigation and discussion.

Strange as it may seem, there is an impression that if the vote results in favor of the adoption of a community district, our high school would be located outside the present city limits. And that it would require a plat of land from twenty to eighty acres in extent, as the high school site. However, such an idea started, it is simply absurd. Does anyone suppose that a school board of five men elected from the city and surrounding territory would favor locating the high school outside the city limits? Does anyone imagine that the voters inside the city could be numerically outvoted by those who are outside the city proper? Would not a school board elected from one side of the city offset any attempt of those on the opposite side to locate the school site to the disadvantage of either? The limits of the proposed district are practically equidistant from the center of the city. Could a majority of the voters in the city be induced to vote the school site outside the city of Jacksonville? Then why express any fear that the high school would be located under the community district system, on the Mound Road or the Morton Road. There is nothing in the law nor in theory that would require any more than an ordinary school lot, or grounds for a community high school. It is not the aim or object of a community high school to become an agricultural college, or a university experimental station.

Some persons urge that instead of taking up time to deal with the question of a community district high school we might get more done by rebuilding our building that burned. That if we hurry we can have it completed this fall. Such is a physical impossibility, even though we had sufficient funds, because contractors say, material and labor cannot be had. We may just as well now prepare for temporary high school quarters next winter. Jacksonville is distinctly an educational center. We need not expect to strike a gas well, or develop a paying coal mine to make this a manufacturing center. Then why not endeavor to make it a greater educational city? We have now more reputation than means and facilities, in so far as our public schools are concerned. We have had a school tax in this city up to the limit, for perhaps a generation past, I might say, and then had not enough money to build our David Prince building the size it should be. If you doubt this, have you observed the crowded condition of the class rooms even before the high school pupils had to be schooled there, since the fire. The school board simply had to cut the garment according to the cloth—decrease the size of the rooms and leave off an additional story as originally planned. Our ward school buildings are not modern, nor properly sanitary nor are they sufficiently lighted. They are in violation of law, as buildings.

Again, many of our teachers in this city have been obliged in the past to discount their salary warrants, or wait a long time for their money, simply because the school funds were exhausted. All the school funds possible to collect, even up to the limit of tax-

GLAD TIDINGS SURELY COME

Standard Paying Soon to Complete State Street Paying—Thatcher Here to Direct Work.

The coming of W. R. Thatcher, representative of the Standard Paying Co., brought great pleasure to many Jacksonville people yesterday. The visit is important because Mr. Thatcher has announced that a force of men in the employ of the company will reach Jacksonville tonight and put the machinery in order Friday for the resumption of work on West State street. The expectation is to have the men and materials on the street Saturday morning. The principal delay in West State street work has been occasioned by waiting for brick of the desired type, but there has also been some difficulty about securing the flux necessary in the mixing of the asphalt.

As a matter of fact the brick of special type designed for paving between the street car rails have not been received. It will, therefore, be only possible to do the brick paving outside the rails and to complete the asphalt. Mr. Thatcher's estimate is that the work can be done in the course of a week or ten days unless unfavorable weather prevents.

101st ANNIVERSARY. Yesterday May 1 was the 101st anniversary of the marriage of Daniel McLaughlin, which occurred in Scioto county, Ohio, in 1817. Daniel McLaughlin was born in 1797 and his wife in 1799, the year that Washington died. They moved to Illinois before the winter of the big snow and entered a farm four miles northwest of Winchester and spent the remainder of their lives on the farm which they owned. They had the unusual record of living together as husband and wife for seventy one years and twenty days. They

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Grand Opera House SATURDAY May 11 THE TREAT OF THE SEASON Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra 60 - MUSICIANS - 60 Under the Direction of the Music Lovers' Favorite EMIL OBERHOFFER SOLOISTS Baritone—Royal Dadmun. Soprano—Idelle Patterson. Tenor—Allen McQuane. Contralto—Christine Schultz. Flute—Leonardo De Lorenzo. Harp—Henry J. Williams. Violin—Richard Czerwonsky

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TY AND COUNTY

Kratz of Concord was to the city yesterday. Lukeman was a city caller yesterday. Franklyn helped represent the city yesterday. George Swain was down to the city yesterday. Les Short was up to the city yesterday. Waverly yesterday. Smith helped represent the city yesterday. Louis Peiser was down to the city yesterday. A. J. Barber of Woodson local shopper yesterday. George Cully of the vicinity of

WHEN YOU LUNCH OR DINE

These are days when necessary food restrictions make service more difficult. However, you will enjoy luncheon or dinner. Quality and Service are ways paramount.

PEACOCK INN

South Side Square

Arnold was in the city yesterday. Charles Taylor of Asbury was a caller on city friends yesterday. A. D. Arnold of Arnold station rode to the city yesterday. Miss Lena Young was a city shopper from Ashland yesterday. John Isaacs of Prentice made a business trip to the city yesterday. Mrs. Harry Strang of Murrayville was a shopper in the city yesterday. Miss Vida Link of St. Louis spent Wednesday visiting friends in the city. Mrs. R. F. Terhune of Havana was a Wednesday shopper in the city.

P. R. Hinds and B. M. Green of Ashland were business visitors in the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thompson of Springfield were Wednesday visitors in Jacksonville. Mrs. L. Edwards and Miss Marie Edwards of Carrollton were shoppers in Jacksonville yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Shaw of Pittsfield spent Wednesday in the city visiting friends. Harrison Davenport was a representative of Pisgah in the city yesterday.

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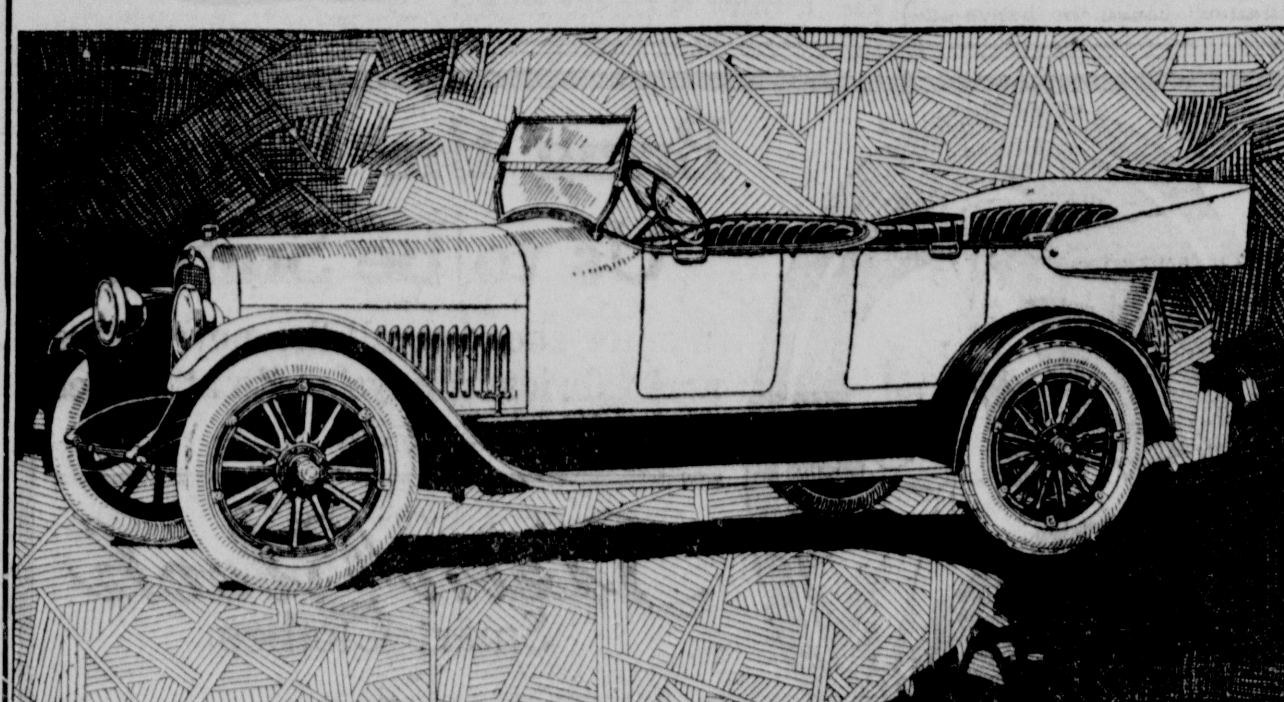
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Mr. and Mrs. William Crum were down to the city from Litterberry yesterday. Miss Nettie Nash of Chapin spent several hours Wednesday with Jacksonville friends. Mr. and Mrs. Nellis Crain of Woodson were among Wednesday visitors in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ormsby Dawson drove to the city from Winchester Wednesday in their Buick car. W. R. Lovell of Franklin drove to the city yesterday in his Buick car.

Mrs. Chester Wilson of Litterberry was shopping with local merchants Wednesday. Mrs. Harry Coultas of Lynnville was a Jacksonville caller yesterday.

Miss Thomasina Clerihan has returned from a visit with her sister at Altamonte. Mrs. Rose Decker of Virginia was attending to shopping interests in the city Wednesday. Miss Catherine Weigand and sister of Alexander were local shoppers yesterday.

Mrs. William Conover of Winchester was a Jacksonville caller Wednesday. Doc Butler of Woodson was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rolfe and daughter of Chapin were callers in the city Wednesday. Mrs. Albert DeSollars and son of Chapin were visitors in the city yesterday.

Hiram Greer of White Hall was called to the city yesterday by business interests. Raymond Boelscher of Meredosia was one of the arrivals in the city yesterday.

J. E. Spahnower of Decatur was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. M. Elder was one of the city arrivals from Franklin in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Crum were down to the city from Litterberry yesterday.

William Buchanan of Pisgah precinct called in the city yesterday.

A. J. Bacon of the east part of the county visited the city yesterday. D. N. Foster of the northwest part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Charles Kelly of Nortonville was among the Wednesday business visitors in the city. E. P. Sooy of Murrayville visited the city Wednesday making the trip in his Oakland car.

Frank Nickel and son of Concord drove to the city Wednesday in their Oakland car.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Darr of Franklin were shoppers in the city yesterday.

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Mrs. James G. Dowell of Franklin was a shopper in the city yesterday.

Miss Catherine Whalen of Franklin was a local shopper Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Kelly, son and daughter, were among Franklin visitors in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Margaret Wyatt of Franklin made a shopping trip to Jacksonville yesterday.

Mrs. Edward Garner of Beards-town paid the city a shopping visit to the city yesterday in his Buick car.

Jerry Ryan of Franklin was among the Wednesday business visitors here.

R. L. Shafer of Sinclair was transacting business with local merchants Wednesday.

Charles Wyatt and daughter of Franklin drove to the city Wednesday in their Reo car.

James O'Brien of Winchester was a transient visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gottfried Tendick of the Mound neighborhood were Wednesday callers in the city.

A. L. Lukeman and family made a shopping trip to the city yesterday.

B. Spencer of Peoria was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

S. M. Spurgeon of Quincy was a visitor with city people yesterday.

T. W. Bursick of Springfield was attending to his interests in the city yesterday.

Henry E. Stewart of Washington City was a caller on Jacksonville people yesterday.

T. E. Speckley and son of Winchester were travelers to the city yesterday.

H. E. Opperman of Peoria was among the callers in the city yesterday.

Fred Schone and family made a trip from Chapin to the city yesterday.

Mrs. William Coultas of Winchester was a caller on city people yesterday.

John Isaacs made a business trip from Peoria to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hill were among the city shoppers from Winchester yesterday.

Mrs. J. H. Spencer of Murrayville was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Nellis Crain and wife helped represent Woodson in the city yesterday.

Harvey Squires of Meredosia was a visitor with Jacksonville friends yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Musch of Arenzville were added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Walter Unken of the vicinity of Chapin was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. McAllister and son were up to the city from Meredosia yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Murray made a trip from Litterberry to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Holscher, Jr., were city arrivals from Meredosia yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Daniels of Litterberry were shoppers with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Crum of the north part of the county were callers on city friends yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stanley of Joy Prairie were among the travelers to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Patterson of Shiloh neighborhood were city callers yesterday.

D. L. Vanhook of Litterberry was a caller on Jacksonville business men yesterday.

Thomas Buchanan of Pisgah precinct was among the business men in town yesterday.

Mrs. Claude M. Hecatt of Arenzville was a caller with city friends yesterday.

Mrs. G. W. Vorsemer of Ashland was one of the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Mrs. John Stokes of Ashville was added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Smith of Chapin were city callers yesterday.

Mrs. J. H. Staines of Winchester was a shopper with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

A. A. Koyne of Murrayville was a business visitor in town yesterday.

Mrs. W. Wallace of Decatur visited with city friends yesterday.

Earl Derry of Roodhouse was a business traveler to the city yesterday.

H. Crum of Litterberry had occasion to visit the city yesterday.

Calvin Lawson of the northeast part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Prince Coates of the vicinity of Riggston rode to town in their Ross car yesterday.

H. A. Wright of Franklin was one of the city's callers yesterday.

Mrs. J. J. Lukeman and daughter were city shoppers from Franklin yesterday.

Oliver Coultas of Lynnville precinct called in the city yesterday.

A. J. Ferguson of Alexander was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miltendorf of the north part of the county were city shoppers yesterday.

William Taylor helped represent Neelyville in the city yesterday.

Frank Anderson of Chapin had occasion to visit the city yesterday.

H. E. Greenleaf of Kiangman, Kansas, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Kate Greenleaf and other relatives and friends in the city and county.

William Holscher of Meredosia called on his son, W. F. Holscher of the clothing house of T. M. Tomlinson yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Watts and daughter were among the city arrivals from Franklin yesterday.

Miss Verna Heirman has returned to her home in Arenzville after a visit with the family of L. C. Hancock of this city.

Branch W. Martin, who represents Stacy, Adams Co., of Brockton, Mass., hopped in on Hopper & Sons yesterday.

Mrs. Bert Christman of Merritt is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hopper, South Prairie street.

James Emerick of Winchester was a business visitor in the city yesterday, making the trip in his Buick car.

James Holmes of Orleans was able to ride to the city in his Ross Eight car yesterday, altho he still has to go on crutches since his recent accident.

Charles Cobb, Jr., of Rount street has gone to Northfield, Minn., where he will be employed with a large dairy company the coming summer.

W. B. McCormick has returned from a visit with his son in Kansas. He reports the wheat crop excellent there and all the way between and is very much pleased with the prospects of his son in the Sunflower state.

BIG ADDITION FOR LOCAL PACKING PLANT

CORPORATE NAME OF FIRM NOW POWERS, BEGG & COMPANY.

Hog Killing Department to be Greatly Increased—Equipment Is of Most Modern Type—Building Under Construction With Government Approval Has Rooms for Special Convenience of Employees—Special Pens for Animals Soon to be Slaughtered Included in Another New Building.

This week has marked the merging of the Jacksonville Packing company into the new corporation, Powers, Beeg & Co. The business has successfully handled during recent years will be continued as heretofore and in an enlarged way. Isaac Powers, located at Terre Haute, Ind., where the corporation is interested in another plant, is president of the Jacksonville concern and Fred Beeg is secretary-treasurer and general manager. Messrs. Powers & Beeg have been associated in the ownership of the Jacksonville Packing Co. plant for a number of years past and under their direction the business has continued to enlarge and various physical improvements have been made. Some time since the plant was re-incorporated and the articles of incorporation were issued from the office of the secretary of state. Big Building Being Constructed.

Plans were made some time ago for still further extensive betterments in the plant and the building of a substantial addition is already under way. This building which will be 67 ft. in. by 100 ft. in. color and with slate effect will replace a portion of the building at the east side of the present plant and will extend somewhat to the south of the old building line. The main floor of this building is designed especially for the hog killing department. A footing of concrete 10 inches in thickness has already been laid and the foundations will be of brick. Above the foundations for a distance of 5 feet the wall will be of solid concrete and there will be frame construction from this point to the roof.

It is really a concrete and steel building as all the structural work is of steel clear up to the roof support. At the extreme east side of the building will be an enclosed waiting pen large enough for 50 or 60 hogs and the animals will be driven from this pen into the shackling pen. Heretofore the pen in which the hogs about to be killed were kept was somewhat exposed and there were certain disadvantages which necessarily followed in winter time.

Modern Equipment. From the shackling pen the hog by machinery will be put into the scalding vat, then thru the scrapper and pass on to a movable counter. There workers will complete the removal of the hair before the animal will reach the stationary table and be elevated thru the singler. This singler, a new construction and equipped with gas burners of such size that hogs can be singed at the rate of 4 per minute. They will pass up thru the structural steel frame and upon the second floor will be dropped automatically upon the butchering table.

At this point the government workers will be busy and certain glands near the hog's throat will be examined. It is these glands that are affected by various types of disease. If these glands show any tendency toward disease the hogs will be immediately sent over to the retaining room on this floor, several lines of overhead track leading into this room which will have a concrete floor and walls and comply in every respect with the government rules of sanitation. The construction of this room will be such that even the air from it will not reach the other departments. When hogs are placed in the retaining room subsequent examination will be made by the inspectors and all hogs found unfit for human consumption will be sent to the tankage department. The government is now more stringent than ever in inspection rules. In fact, the improvement could not be commenced at the plant until the plans had been approved by the government architect at Washington.

The packing plant now has its own license number and in its various lines of operation and in production must comply with very rigid rules.

Convenience for Employees. While, as indicated, the building is primarily for extending the business of the company and makes it possible to slaughter with ease 1500 hogs a day, or nearly twice as many as could be handled before, the plans include a number of other improvements of a different kind. On the first floor there will be a commodious carpenter shop, at the southwest corner, and on the east side a complete laundry room where the necessary laundry work will be done for the company employees. On the second floor in addition to the retaining room and extensive storage department, in the southwest corner above the carpenter shop will be a lunch room for employees. This will be equipped with chairs, tables and other conveniences and as is now true a coffee urn will be maintained without cost to employees as an accompaniment for the noon day meal.

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| 36 inch Lining Satin, black and colors, yd. | \$1.25 |
| 40 inch Georgette Crepe, yd. | \$2.00 |
| 40 inch Crepe de Chine, yd. | \$1.75 |
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The general plans were made by Joshua Vasconcellos & Sons in conformity with the ideas of Mr. Powers and Mr. Beeg and were later approved by the government architect, and Vasconcellos & Sons are now pushing the work of construction, which it is expected will be completed in the course of about six weeks. Practically all of the necessary materials are now on hand altho there were several weeks' delay in beginning operations because of inability to secure materials, and furthermore, because of the then pending government approval.

Spacious Building for Live Stock. A separate building of different type than that described above has been erected during recent months and is located about 100 feet south of the main building. This is a frame building 96 by 52 feet in its principal dimensions and includes seven spacious pens, six of which are designed for hogs and one for cattle. The building has a concrete floor throughout, sloping to the center in a way which provides the desired drainage. Along the outside walls the building is 10 feet high and stretches to a maximum height of 16 feet at the center. These pens are for the housing of hogs which are soon to be killed and are not for feeding purposes. There is, however, a concrete watering trough in each of the pens and there is a manger in the one large pen designated for the use of cattle.

The pens are separated by a system of gates and there is a common driveway along the entire east side of the building. There is ample lighting thru a series of

windows and three large air vents in the roof provide a complete system of ventilation. A concrete roadway finished on both sides leads from this enlarged stock shed to the hog killing department described above. The building is painted the same color that was used for the main brick building when painting was done last fall. The entire plant is finished in an attractive dark green color.

There is a spacious grass plot adjoining the main building, with a flower bed now radiant with tulips and similar spring flowers. Altogether the grounds at the packing plant are in a physical condition which quite accurately reflects the splendid care given

to the building and equipment in every department of the plant.

NOTICE.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Education of Jacksonville, Illinois, for wrecking the building and clearing the premises of the Jacksonville High School.

Bids must be filed with the Secretary on or before 12 o'clock noon, Monday, May 6, 1918.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

Specifications may be obtained from the Secretary.

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ANKERS TO MEET IN WHITE HALL MAY 21

Fifth Annual Gathering of Group Eight to Be Held in White Hall—Plan Dedication of Community Service Flag Memorial Day—Other Green County News Items.

White Hall, April 30.—Announcement was made by the local committee on arrangements today that White Hall will entertain the twelfth annual convention of Group Eight, Illinois Bankers' association, on May 31st, and that 50 bankers are expected to be present from Adams, Calhoun, Cass, Greene, Hancock, Jersey, Lenard, Morgan, Pike, Schuyler and Scott counties. The program will be sent out in a few days. The sessions will be held in the Princess theatre, the finest theatre in this section of the state. The officers and directors of the three White Hall banks constitute the reception committee.

President C. A. Johnson, of Jacksonville, will call the convention to order at 9 o'clock a. m., and the welcome will be said by Rev. E. C. Lucas, to which Mr. Johnson will respond. The morning session will be devoted to addresses by Robert R. Ward, president of the Illinois Bankers' association, on "Our Obligations," and by William G. Edens, of Chicago, on "Good Roads and Bond Issues." At the dinner Hon. C. E. Bolin, of Milton, will serve as toastmaster.

The afternoon session at 1:30 p. m. will be opened with invocation by Rev. Leo Howard, and the following addresses are scheduled: "War and War Financing," Henry

R. Rathbone, Chicago; "Illinois Centennial," Hugh S. Magill, Jr., state director, Springfield; "Federal Land Bank," Oliver J. Lloyd, secretary, St. Louis; "County Federation," W. S. Rearick, Ashland.

Officers will be elected at the close of the afternoon session. The retiring officers are: Chairman, Charles A. Johnson, Jacksonville; vice chairman, Fred D. Thomas, Camp Point; secretary and treasurer, R. T. Ricks, Pittsfield; state vice president, John Webber, Barry; member state executive council, J. R. Pearce, Quincy; Fred T. Jurgens, Petersburg; E. H. Fleming, Bowen. The members of the group executive council are John R. Wallace, Clayton; E. F. Crane, St. Sterling; E. E. Williams, Hardin; H. S. Leeper, Chandler; S. E. Pierson, Carrollton; H. D. Williams, Hamilton; H. S. Bowman, Jerseyville; Fred D. Savage, Tallula; J. E. Osborne, Murrayville; C. E. Bolin, Milton; John S. Little, Rushville; Edward Neat, Winchester.

Special numbers on the program will be furnished by the Duncan Sisters, Mrs. F. W. McLaren and Mrs. C. W. Chapman, all of White Hall.

Three Gold Stars on Flag—White Hall is preparing for an elaborate observance of Decoration Day on Thursday, May 30th, according to plans of the various workers for the occasion, the chief feature of which is the dedication of a service flag. Already the community has three gold stars on its flag, those of James Lyons, who died in France; Francis Grimes, who died on a foreign shore while on naval duty, from wounds; and John Moore, who died at Camp Taylor from pneumonia. All were privates. The compilation of a complete list of the White Hall boys now in the

service will require careful search and painstaking work.

Rev. E. C. Lucas will be master of ceremonies and deliver an address, and strenuous efforts are being made to secure the services of Hon. C. J. Moynihan of Montrose, Colorado, as a speaker, and favorable advice from him is expected in a few days. Committees from the city council and the Sons of Veterans are working on arrangements, and reports made to R. B. Pearce, secretary of the White Hall Soldiers' Monument association, indicate the fullest co-operation on the part of all citizens in making the occasion the most elaborate ever held in White Hall. A suggestion was made at Roodhouse some time ago that the two cities arrange the hours of service so that the Rawlins Concert band will be available at both places, and this suggestion is being given consideration by the White Hall committee. Mrs. M. B. Ross has been requested to organize and drill a double male quartette that has made a decided impression on previous patriotic occasions. Mrs. A. E. Meisenbach, of St. Louis, has been invited to sing a number, in which she will use children to represent the allied governments. The exercises will be held in Whiteside Park.

Boy Scouts Active.

Renewed activity in local Boy Scout circles is being manifested, and the boys are in search of a new leader by Rev. Hugh Davidson entering Army Y. M. C. A. work. There are now thirty members and they are under the direction of the pastors of the local churches. They are beginning to make hikes, and are planning for special work during the summer. A committee has been appointed to procure vacant lots, on which to raise things necessary for the community needs, and thus help Uncle Sam in doing their bit to help defeat the kaiser. One new member was admitted and passed examination as a "Tenderfoot" at the last meeting, and a number of others are promising to join. They feel sure that the right man will soon be found to serve as chief scout, and that White Hall will have one of the best troops of Scouts in this part of the state.

F. E. Baker arrived home Sunday from a visit with his brother, Edgar Baker, and family, at Mangum, La., and reports that Edgar is prospering in his plantation venture down there, now having 1,200 acres comprising what is known as White Hall Ranch. F. E. brought back a load of feeding cattle.

W. W. Evans has awarded to F. L. Grant the contract for erecting a garage on his site on Main street. It is to be 50x135 feet, and will be made modern and attractive.

Joseph Lyman is home from Camp Taylor to spend a few days.

Shirley Writes from France.—Albert Shirley writes from France to his mother that he is well, and that great things are taking place among the American troops on the French front.

The directors of the White Hall Township Library have arranged for a complete overhauling of the rooms in the Grange block, and the library will hereafter be open daily.

The Parent-Teachers association has arranged for a series of public meetings that promise to be of the largest value in the way of general public interests.

Joe Furnace has gone to Modesto, Cal., to accept a position as cigarmaker, and has resigned his place with William Cajlans.

The city is unloading the first of three cars of oil that are to be used on the streets of the city.

The A. O. Vossler residence on North Main street has been purchased by G. W. Boyd, who thus becomes a permanent citizen. Mr. Boyd moved here from Missouri about two years ago. He is a capitalist and an extensive operator in land and cattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson and children and Mrs. Johnson's mother, Mrs. C. H. Johnson, are here from St. Louis to spend the week with Mr. and Mrs. Harry C.

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Johnson. The similarity of names among these folks is somewhat confusing.

Third White Hall Soldier Dies.—The death of Private John Moore at Camp Taylor, Ky., Sunday is the third soldier boy from this community to die in the service during the present war. His death was caused by pneumonia. The remains were brought to White Hall for burial, arriving here Monday, and were taken to the home of the deceased's sister, Mrs. John Castleberry, where they remained until the funeral hour at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, when funeral services were held in the Tabernacle Baptist church, the discourse being delivered by Rev. A. J. Johnson. The interment was in White Hall cemetery. The deceased had attained his 24th birthday when he was taken with pneumonia, just a week before his death. He was moved to the base hospital, where he died at 4 o'clock p. m. Sunday. He was the son of Jacob Moore of the Walkerville neighborhood, ten miles southwest of White Hall, and went with the third contingent of soldiers from Greene county. There was a very large attendance at the funeral services. His death has caused renewed interest in the dedication of a community service flag, and it is planned to hold this service in connection with the exercises on Decoration Day, Thursday, May 30th, at which time it is announced that the most elaborate program will be carried out that has ever before been attempted at White Hall.

Aged Resident Passed Away.

Another death occurred during the past fiscal week that deserves more than passing mention, that of Mrs. Margaret P. Baldwin, widow of the late Thomas J. Baldwin, pioneers of this section, though her husband has been dead for several years. Mrs. Baldwin was residing with her daughter, Mrs. T. A. Kesinger, on South Main street, and her death occurred at the Kesinger home on the 24th at 10 a. m. Her age was 77 years, and she had spent practically all her life in this community. Her surviving children are: Mrs. Zeno Stocks of Kansas City; Benjamin Baldwin of Arkansas City, Kan.; Mrs. Albert Griswold, Mrs. T. A. Kesinger, Edward and Meade Baldwin of White Hall. Funeral services were held Friday at the Kesinger home, and the burial was in the White Hall cemetery.

The minimum temperature at White Hall last night was 29 degrees with heavy frost, and there is wide speculation as to the extent of damage. Tender vegetation is undoubtedly badly damaged, and first reports from the potato crop are that the blight is black. R. B. Pearce, Co-operative Observer.

NOTICE

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Special meeting tonight. Important business. Full attendance is desired.

T. J. Duffner, G. K. John J. Ferry, F. S.

Social Events

Entertained Senior Play Cast.

Lloyd Carter entertained the cast which appeared in the senior play at his home on Rount street Tuesday evening. There were several special guests present and a three course luncheon was served.

Sinclair Country Club

Met with Mrs. Martin. The Sinclair Country club met with Mrs. Clyde Martin Wednesday afternoon with a good attendance of members. On roll call the members responded with an idea upon gardening. "Pioneer Ministers of Illinois," was the subject of a paper by Mrs. T. U. Fox. "Birds and Their Value to Men," was discussed by Mrs. Thomas Fox. A social hour followed the program and refreshments were served.

Ladies Aid of Church of Our Savior in Regular Meeting.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Church of Our Savior met with Mrs. Thomas Maloney, 761 Hardin avenue Wednesday afternoon. Sixty-two members were in attendance and three new members were received into the society at this meeting. The usual business session was held. A report of the receipts and disbursements of the banquet served by the society at Knights of Columbus hall Sunday to the members of that organization was read and accepted with considerable time. After the business session a social hour was enjoyed. The society adjourned to meet with Mrs. Ralph Cowgour, 327 North Main street Wednesday, May 15.

Franklin Missionary Society Held Meeting.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Franklin M. E. church met with Mrs. Frank Tribble Wednesday afternoon. The program was in charge of Mrs. Louis Massie. The society has been studying An African Trail the past year. After the program a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Martin Entertained

Sinclair Club. The Sinclair Woman's Country club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Clyde Martin. The club was called to order by the president, Mrs. Charles Bealmer, and a short business session held. Roll call was answered to by items on gardening. A very interesting paper, "What Woman's Work in France Really Means," was given by Mrs. Thomas Brown. Following the presentation of this paper an informal discussion was had. Refreshments were served by the hostess, Miss May Martin of Literberry was a guest. The next meeting of the club will be held with Mrs. Harry Martin Thursday May 16.

Henry Lukeman of Franklin was among the Wednesday visitors in the city.

OLD JACKSONVILLE

Colonel Joseph Morton, Former Statesman

By Ensley Moore

(Member Illinois State Historical Society)

Among the very oldest, or rather earliest settlers of Morgan county was Joseph Morton, who came here a boy of eighteen or nineteen years of age. His fathering was a matter of value to this region, for he was a good and able man, and identified with the interests of what proved to be his lifelong home.

He was an interested witness of the early and entire growth of Jacksonville, from the time when he used to chase wolves over its unpeopled site, to its size and population at the time of his death.

Born in Tennessee. Joseph Morton was born in the State of Tennessee, August 1, 1801, his father having pioneered into that State from North Carolina. The elder Morton was of English descent on his father's side, but of German on his mother's; her maiden name having been Elizabeth Scrrels. Joseph's father died in Tennessee in 1811, and his widow married Wily Kirby. They soon came to Audrain County, Ky., where Mr. Kirby died, and his widow came here in 1828.

Settles Here. Joseph Morton came to Illinois in 1819, after having gained a little education in Kentucky. He located near Alton in March, 1819, coming up here in the Fall of 1820, and building a cabin on his land a little south of east of here. John Bradshaw came with him. There were only a few families in this county then.

Mr. Morton "doubled teams" by marrying Miss Mary, daughter of Daniel Odell, of Kentucky, April 27, 1823. The lady had come to Madison County when three years old. The Mortons then settled on what was thereafter the family homestead about two miles from town.

In those days here stakes or a kind of flag were stuck in the ground to mark the path between cabins of settlers.

Joseph and Mary Morton were the parents of thirteen children, but three of whom lived to middle age. They had but one son, Francis Marion, known as "Tack". Mrs. Morton died Feb. 14, 1874. Mr. Morton was a member of the Christian church, and a Democrat politically.

Mr. Morton became the owner of 800 acres of Morgan County land. Something surely worth having. He was a stock raiser, and especially of good and thro

EXEMPTION BOARD NEWS

The local exemption board yesterday received word from Orderly Pyles in charge of the colored contingent for Camp Grant, that they had arrived in Chicago safely and were waiting for the train for camp. The telegram reads as follows:

"Arrived at Chicago O. K., no trouble. Men sold here in the Union depot. Missed the 7:45 train 10 minutes, so we are here until 10 o'clock."

Quite a number of Morgan county men have applied for the exemption of agricultural ground and have received the recommendation of the local board that they be permitted to return home to assist in planting and cultivating the crops.

The following men, comprising the last of class one, with the exception of those in Div. J, were examined by the medical staff of the local exemption board yesterday morning at the Court House.

The men and their disposition is given herewith:

Barber, Jacksonville, 5-G.
Louis W. Fernandes, Jacksonville, accepted.
George B. Lash, Waverly, 5-G.
Louis Bringle, Jacksonville, referred M. A. B.
Vol. W. Huffman, Jacksonville, accepted.
Zelah Austin, Waverly, accepted.
Jumps Dillon, Jacksonville, accepted.
Christopher Kavanagh, Ashland, referred M. A. B.
Manuel Kelly, Jacksonville, accepted.
Chester Peters, Jacksonville, accepted.
Jesse Moore, Jacksonville, accepted.
Taylor H. Agnew, Waverly, accepted.
Guy E. Downs, Jacksonville, accepted.
Henry E. Deatherage, Waverly, accepted.
Mahatha S. Stewart, Jacksonville, continued.
John R. Stewart, accepted.
Floyd R. Fairfield, Jacksonville, accepted.
Harry C. Roach, Jacksonville, 5-G.
Edward Stout, Jacksonville, referred M. A. B.
Lloyd Holmann, Alexander, 5-G.
James E. Spaenhower, Waverly, accepted.
Robert M. Meadows, Jacksonville, accepted.
Andrew E. Kirby, Alexander, accepted.
Austin Carter, Jr., Jacksonville, accepted.
Ralph Ryan, accepted.
Reuben Daniel, Arenzville, appeal.
William Hoban, Jacksonville, report to Dr. Frank.
James Lyle, Arenzville, accepted.
Harry L. Gordon, Jacksonville, transferred.
Jake Ham, Prentice, Dr. King to make further report.
Norman E. Sheppard, Jacksonville, report to Dr. Black in two weeks.
Sebastian E. Kume, Alexander, accepted.
Alvin P. Fevey, Murrayville, 5-G.
William S. Hill, Jacksonville, sent to M. A. B.
Hugh M. McGuire, Jacksonville, accepted.
William T. Thompson, Jacksonville, accepted.
Carl O. Gillis, East Alton, 5-G.
John E. Jones, Peoria, accepted.
Marcy W. Osborne, Jacksonville, accepted.
Burton W. Kelley, Jacksonville, 5-G.
Clarence L. Taylor, Jacksonville, accepted.
George O. McDaniel, Chapin, accepted.
Albert Lloyd Potter, Jacksonville, 5-G.
James C. Brown, Mercedia, 5-G.
John Francis O'Brien, Jacksonville, accepted.
Luther E. Sample, Peoria, accepted.
Albert Frewitt, Jacksonville, accepted.
Fred V. Craven, Chapin, report to Dr. Frank.
George E. Simpkin, Jacksonville, accepted.
Benjamin T. Osborne, Murrayville, accepted.
George D. Velkos, Jacksonville, referred to M. A. B.
William Glenn Drake, Peoria, accepted.
Nathan Fisk Sims, Jacksonville, accepted.

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PATRIOTIC ADDRESS BEFORE THE HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

In addressing the pupils of the Jacksonville High School yesterday Capt. J. M. Swales gave the following patriotic and eloquent statement:

My dear Mr. Callahan, Principal of the High School and pupils: I consider it a distinctive honor to be called upon to address you briefly on this occasion as it has been a long time since I said my little piece in the old "Frat School" building that stood where now is the remains of your once grand temple of learning facing West Side Street. Way back in the other century, I think it was during the late forties, that I went to this school where I shot no less a personage than Hon. Ewton Batesman, one of the pioneer educators in this section of Illinois, who served five full terms as state superintendent of public instruction and was considered one of the ablest figures in Illinois history and whose blessed memory is revered by any yet living in Jacksonville and throughout the state.

In all that the term implies he was a great man, and one whose life exemplified in all his long years of dignified labor along educational lines both in this city and all over the state. Circumstances were such that I only remained in school a few months and from the school in I went to the farm where I worked for the princely sum of ten cents a month. In the winter time I had to go to school and in the summer I had to go to college. Then I was the great civil war and a call to arms to suppress the slave rebellion.

It was thought that that number would be sufficient to restore the

Union to its normal conditions within three months, but other calls came, and still others till the great struggle extended into four long and bloody years. As a result of that mighty conflict 400,000 loyal lives were sacrificed upon the altar of their country, and the northland and southland were peopled with millions of widows and orphans who mourned for those who had fallen in battle, whose memory we hold sacred and whose silent prayers will cooperate with the beautiful eagerness of immortality on the coming Decoration Day. It was my fortune, or, as fortune has it, the case may be, to be in the great temple of life and sword from the start to the dropping of the curtain on the crimson drama when the battle flags of the "Lost Cause" were forever furled at Appomattox more than half a century ago.

While the world is on fire today, and millions of armed men are marching and countermarching over the blood-soaked fields of Northern France and stricken England, I can point with pride to the fact that it was the sacrifices of our nation's patriotic instructors, and myself did out in the great crusade for human liberty, and though we are not yet near our eternal sunset, speaking for myself, I can truly say that I have been able to take a humble part in helping to keep down to posterity a nation cemented with the blood of 400,000 young men and boys who marched to glory and the grave during those tragic days of the early Sixties.

It was worth all that we gave, even to the crimson tide of life and a lone grave among the bivouacs of the dead, and drank from the cup of human agony in a prison stockade at Andersonville for the better part of a year, and know what it is to suffer to the limit of human endurance from disease, famine and the pangs of hunger and despair where 15,000 sons of the north perished miserably and the survivors died of starvation that staggers the imagination. More than 30,000 Union men died in Southern prisons and the civil war nearly half of whom perished in Andersonville from February 25, 1864 to April 17, 1865. These men and the brave soldiers of patriotism and gave their lives as a heritage of liberty and universal democracy handed down from the blood stained fields of the civil war.

Arguing that is worth fighting and dying for is worthy of preservation. The free school system is the backbone of the nation. The little red school house on the hill is the beacon light that leads to all that is best in human life here and there to come. Education is worth all it costs to attain. A lack of it is a handicap that will follow you through life, and it has me, and my one great regret is that mine has been sadly neglected because I did not have the golden opportunities I enjoy today. What little knowledge I may have gained has been gained from the free school system, the pathway of nearly four score years.

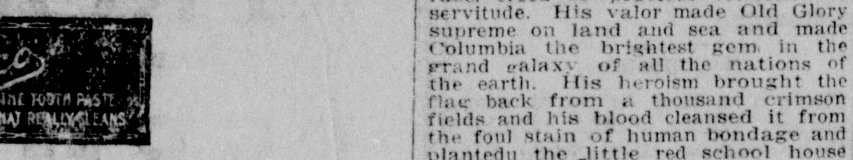
All of our words of tongue or pen have faded away, but the deeds of our hands are there. It might have been.

Do not let this be said of you. Improve each shining hour by strict application to your duties in school and grasp and hold the golden opportunity that will follow you through life. In the future there will be no cause of regret over lost opportunities. In the civil war will have gone to his eternal bivouac and the burden of the nation's sins will be upon your rest upon coming generations. He has handed down to you the priceless heritage of liberty and universal democracy, the proud symbol of world freedom for all people regardless of race, creed or previous condition of life. His valor made Old Glory supreme on land and sea and made Columbia the brightest gem in the crown of the earth. His heroism brought the flag back from a thousand crimson fields and his blood cleansed it from the foul stain of human bondage and planted the little red school house where once stood the auction block where human beings were once sold as common cattle.

Our market place the way not only to an abolition of human bondage but to an abolition of ignorance, superstition and prejudice which was its ever stone on which it had rested firmly for centuries. When he struck the shackles from human bondage he gave the Declaration of Independence a real meaning as to the inalienable right in the pursuit of happiness and the right to worship the Supreme Being according to the dictates of one's own conscience.

"When Freedom from her mountain height Unfurled her Standard to the air She tore the azure robes of night And fixed the stars of glory there. Forever float that Standard sheet Where breathless the foe falls before us; With Freedom's soil beneath our feet, And Freedom's Banner streaming o'er us."

And remember that by eternal vigilance only can Old Glory be kept where American valor has placed it. I thank you for your attention and the honor you have conferred upon me in permitting me to address you.



Mr. Robert Williams, Salesman, Mo. December 27th, 1917.

Dear Sir:

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Mrs. H. J. Nibbs of Decatur was a business visitor in Jacksonville Wednesday.

Western Lady pays sincere tribute to Nujol

From Arizona comes his cheerful letter telling how Nujol thoroughly relieves constipation, and thus restores health, strength and better spirits:

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Only Game of Series, Played after Three Postponements—Merkle's Home Run a Feature—Hornsby Hitting Wins from Reds for Cards.

Chicago, May 1.—After three postponements, Chicago and Pittsburgh met in the final game of the series here today and the former won 5 to 3. The locals bunched hits in the opening inning and took an early lead. Merkle's home run which went into the left field bleachers in the third scored the winning run. The fielding of Deal and a double play started by McKeechne, 3b, and Schmitt, 2b, kept the visitors from scoring. The little red school house on the hill is the beacon light that leads to all that is best in human life here and there to come. Education is worth all it costs to attain. A lack of it is a handicap that will follow you through life, and it has me, and my one great regret is that mine has been sadly neglected because I did not have the golden opportunities I enjoy today. What little knowledge I may have gained has been gained from the free school system, the pathway of nearly four score years.

All of our words of tongue or pen have faded away, but the deeds of our hands are there. It might have been.

Do not let this be said of you. Improve each shining hour by strict application to your duties in school and grasp and hold the golden opportunity that will follow you through life. In the future there will be no cause of regret over lost opportunities. In the civil war will have gone to his eternal bivouac and the burden of the nation's sins will be upon your rest upon coming generations. He has handed down to you the priceless heritage of liberty and universal democracy, the proud symbol of world freedom for all people regardless of race, creed or previous condition of life. His valor made Old Glory supreme on land and sea and made Columbia the brightest gem in the crown of the earth. His heroism brought the flag back from a thousand crimson fields and his blood cleansed it from the foul stain of human bondage and planted the little red school house where once stood the auction block where human beings were once sold as common cattle.

Our market place the way not only to an abolition of human bondage but to an abolition of ignorance, superstition and prejudice which was its ever stone on which it had rested firmly for centuries. When he struck the shackles from human bondage he gave the Declaration of Independence a real meaning as to the inalienable right in the pursuit of happiness and the right to worship the Supreme Being according to the dictates of one's own conscience.

"When Freedom from her mountain height Unfurled her Standard to the air She tore the azure robes of night And fixed the stars of glory there. Forever float that Standard sheet Where breathless the foe falls before us; With Freedom's soil beneath our feet, And Freedom's Banner streaming o'er us."

And remember that by eternal vigilance only can Old Glory be kept where American valor has placed it. I thank you for your attention and the honor you have conferred upon me in permitting me to address you.

Score by innings:

| | AB. | R. | H. | O. | A. | E. |
|------------|-----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Chicago | 10 | 5 | 10 | 6 | 1 | 2 |
| Pittsburgh | 9 | 3 | 10 | 6 | 1 | 2 |

SUMMARY

Two base hits—S. Magee, Griffith, Baird. Home runs—M. Magee. Sacrifice hits—Roush 2. Sacrifice fly—Cruise. Double plays—L. Magee. Blackburne—Chase. Groh—L. Magee. Chase; Smith—Hornsby; Paulette. Bases on balls—off Eller 3; off May 5. Hit by pitcher—May 5.

BOSTON BREAKS TIE FOR SEVENTH

Brooklyn, May 1.—Boston broke the tie for seventh place by defeating Brooklyn today 4 to 2. Muffs of flies by Hickman and Johnston paved the way for Boston's runs in the fifth and sixth. Two hits and a sacrifice fly gave the Braves one more in the ninth.

Brooklyn rallied in the last inning scoring two runs on three singles and Kelly's error.

The score:

| | AB. | R. | H. | O. | A. | E. |
|----------|-----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Boston | 10 | 4 | 12 | 6 | 1 | 2 |
| Brooklyn | 10 | 3 | 10 | 6 | 1 | 2 |

Ragan and Henry; Marquard, Griner and M. Wheat.

MATHEWSON WILLING TO GO TO FRANCE

CINCINNATI, May 1.—Christy Mathewson, manager of the Cincinnati Nationals, will go to France if officials of the Y. M. C. A. can convince him his services there in improving the morale of the American troops would be indispensable. Mathewson made this declaration today after a prolonged conference with Dr. George Fisher of New York, formerly of Cincinnati, who is the international director of physical instructors of the Y. M. C. A.

The leader of the Reds will give the matter serious consideration and will announce his decision later.

CUB CATCHER DECIDES TO ENLIST IN NAVY

CHICAGO, Ill., May 1.—Harold "Rowdy" Elliott of Bloomington, Ill., a catcher with the Chicago Nationals who is in Class 1-A of the draft, decided tonight to enlist in the navy. He will leave Sunday for the navy yard at San Francisco. Second Baseman Kil-duff also is considering enlisting in the navy. Duffy Lewis, former star of the Boston Americans is stationed at Mare Island and urged Elliott to enlist.

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HOW THEY STAND

American League

| | W. | L. | Pct. |
|--------------|----|----|------|
| Boston | 11 | 3 | .786 |
| Cleveland | 7 | 4 | .635 |
| Chicago | 5 | 3 | .625 |
| New York | 7 | 6 | .538 |
| Washington | 5 | 7 | .417 |
| St. Louis | 4 | 6 | .400 |
| Detroit | 2 | 5 | .286 |
| Philadelphia | 3 | 8 | .273 |

National League

| | W. | L. | Pct. |
|--------------|----|----|------|
| New York | 11 | 1 | .917 |
| Chicago | 7 | 3 | .700 |
| Cincinnati | 7 | 4 | .636 |
| Philadelphia | 7 | 5 | .583 |
| Pittsburgh | 4 | 6 | .400 |
| St. Louis | 4 | 8 | .333 |
| Brooklyn | 3 | 9 | .250 |
| Rocklyn | 2 | 10 | .167 |

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

American League
Chicago, 5; Cleveland, 6.
Detroit, 2; St. Louis, 3.
Washington, 5; Boston, 0.
Philadelphia-New York; rain.

National League
Pittsburgh, 3; Chicago, 5.
St. Louis, 2; Cincinnati, 1.
Boston, 4; Brooklyn, 2.
New York-Philadelphia; rain.

American Association
Indianapolis, 9; Columbus, 0.
Louisville, 2; Toledo, 3.
St. Paul, 10; Milwaukee, 1.
Minneapolis, 3; Kansas City, 2.

Western League
Joplin, 1; Topeka, 7.
Hutchinson, 8; Wichita, 3.
Omaha, 8; Sioux City, 0.
St. Joseph, 5; Des Moines, 6.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

American League
Chicago at Detroit.
Cleveland at St. Louis.
Washington at Philadelphia.
Boston at New York.

National League
Cincinnati at Chicago.
St. Louis at Pittsburgh.
New York at Boston.
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.

CLEVELAND TAKES LAST OF SERIES FROM SOX

Cleveland, O., May 1.—Cleveland won the last game of the series from Chicago 6 to 5. Coveleskie outpitched Ciolette but errors by Kavanagh, Roth and Wambasans allowed the visitors to score four of their five runs. Chicago nearly tied the score in the ninth. It had runners on second and first when Jackson hit an easy boundary to Coveleskie retiring the side.

The score:

| | AB. | R. | H. | O. | A. | E. |
|-----------|-----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Cleveland | 9 | 6 | 13 | 6 | 1 | 0 |
| Chicago | 10 | 5 | 13 | 6 | 1 | 0 |

Waver, ss, 1; 0 1 0 0 0 0
E. Collins, 2b, 4; 1 2 3 0 0 0
Jackson, rf, 4; 1 2 2 0 0 0
Felsch, cf, 4; 1 2 3 0 0 0
Gaudt, lb, 4; 1 2 3 0 0 0
McMullen, 3b, 4; 1 1 2 0 0 0
Sobush, c, 4; 0 0 2 0 0 0
Ciolette, p, 4; 0 0 1 0 0 0
xMurphy, 4; 0 0 0 0 0 0

Totals.....26 5 24 10 1

X-Batted for Ciolette in 9th.

The score by innings:

| | AB. | R. | H. | O. | A. | E. |
|---------------|-----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Halt, 2b | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Chapman, ss | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 1 |
| Specker, cf | 5 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Roth, rf | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Wambasans, 2b | 4 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 1 |
| Kavanagh, lb | 5 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 1 | 1 |
| Wend, lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| O'Neill, c | 3 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Coveleskie, p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Totals.....31 6 11 27 15 4

The score by innings:

| | AB. | R. | H. | O. | A. | E. |
|-----------|-----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Chicago | 10 | 5 | 13 | 6 | 1 | 0 |
| Cleveland | 10 | 6 | 13 | 6 | 1 | 0 |

SUMMARY

Two base hits—Gaudt, Roth, Chapman. Three base hit—Specker. Sacrifice hits—Waver, Kavanagh, Jackson, Roth. Double play—Chapman-Wambasans. Sacrifice fly—Ciolette. Cleveland 4; Chicago 5. Bases on balls—off Coveleskie 2; Ciolette 1. Struck out—by Ciolette 5; Coveleskie 1.

SISLER BREAKS TIE GAME

St. Louis, Mo., May 1.—With the score tied in the tenth, two out and Tobin on second Sisler drove the ball over Cuth's head scoring Tobin and the run that gave St. Louis the victory over Detroit here today 3 to 2. Ordinarily Sisler hit only one home run a home run. Sisler got four hits and a walk in five trips to the plate, stole a base, scored a run and drove in the remainder of the local's runs. Stanage was forced to retire in the ninth because of a broken finger received from a foul tip.

The score:

| | AB. | R. | H. | O. | A. | E. |
|---------------|-----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Detroit | 10 | 2 | 12 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Bush, ss | 5 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Cobb, cf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Vesch, lf | 5 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Hellman, rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Vitt, 2b | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Demmy, 3b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Gedeon, 2b | 4 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Nunamaker, ss | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Gerber, ss | 4 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Gallia, p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Totals.....55 2 6x 29 17 1

X—Two out when winning run scored.

St. Louis

| | AB. | R. | H. | O. | A. | E. |
|---------------|-----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Tobin, cf | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cobb, 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sisler, lf | 4 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Smith, lf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Demmy, cf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Gedeon, 2b | 4 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Nunamaker, ss | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Gerber, ss | 4 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Gallia, p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Totals.....55 2 6x 29 17 1

The score by innings:

| | AB. | R. | H. | O. | A. | E. |
|-----------|-----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Detroit | 10 | 2 | 12 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| St. Louis | 10 | 3 | 10 | 6 | 0 | 1 |

SUMMARY

Two base hits—Cobb, Sisler, Spencer. Stolen bases—Sisler, Smith, Spencer. Sacrifice hit—Naisel. Double plays—Bush-Dressen. Left on base—Detroit 6. St. Louis 5. Bases on balls—off Killebrew 4; Gallia 2. Struck out—by Erickson 1; Gallia 2.

JOHNSON HOLDS BOSTON

SCORING

Boston, May 1.—Walter Johnson held Boston to four scattered hits today. Washington bunched hits off May's head scoring five runs and winning 5 to 0. Hooper made three hits when Alvin's scratch ed out the fourth in the ninth with two out. The entire Washington team gave a good support with Shanks and Morgan performing sensationally. It was May's first loss of the year.

The score:

| | AB. | R. | H. | O. | A. | E. |
|------------|-----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Washington | 10 | 5 | 10 | 6 | 0 | 1 |
| Boston | 10 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 0 |

Totals.....20 5 14 12 0 1

Agnew.

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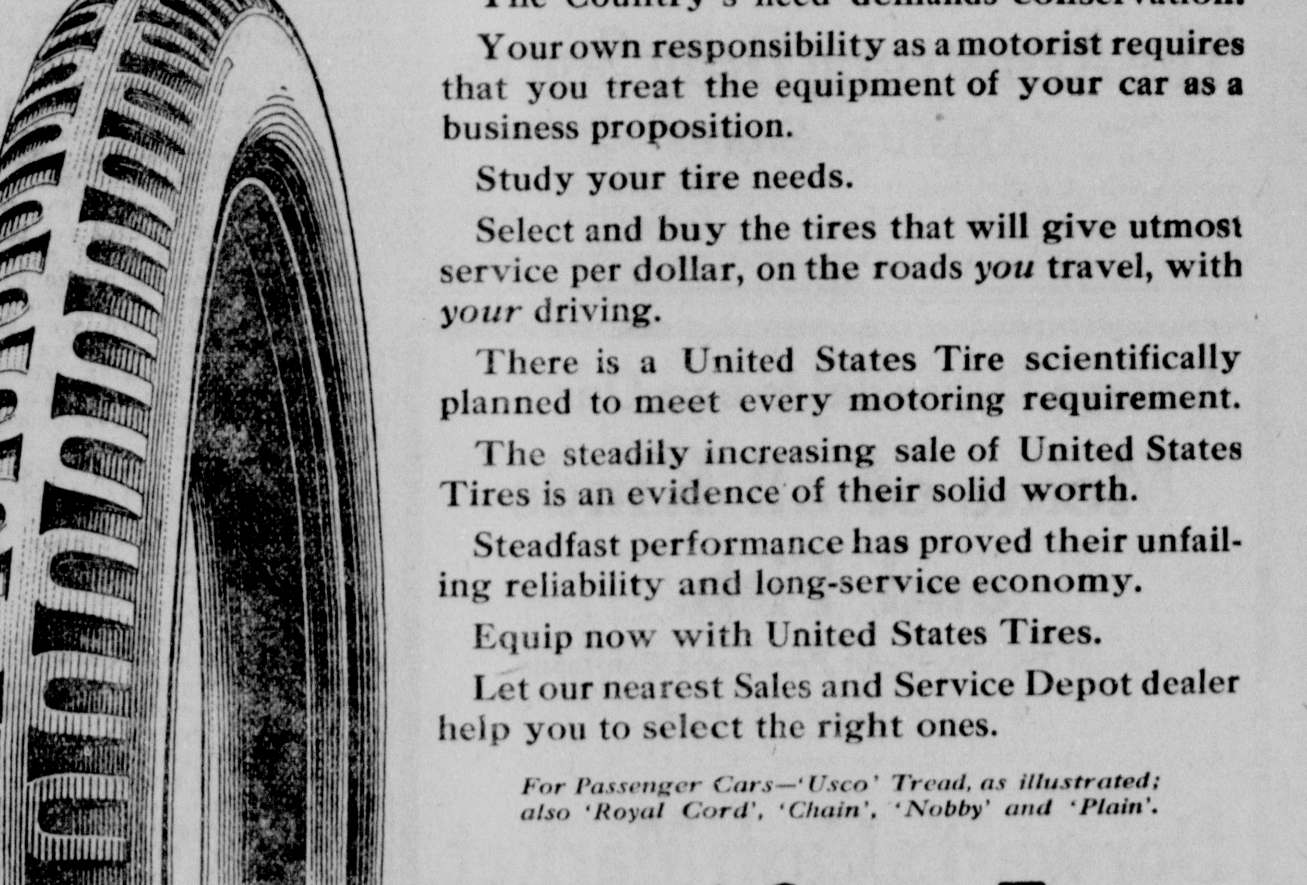
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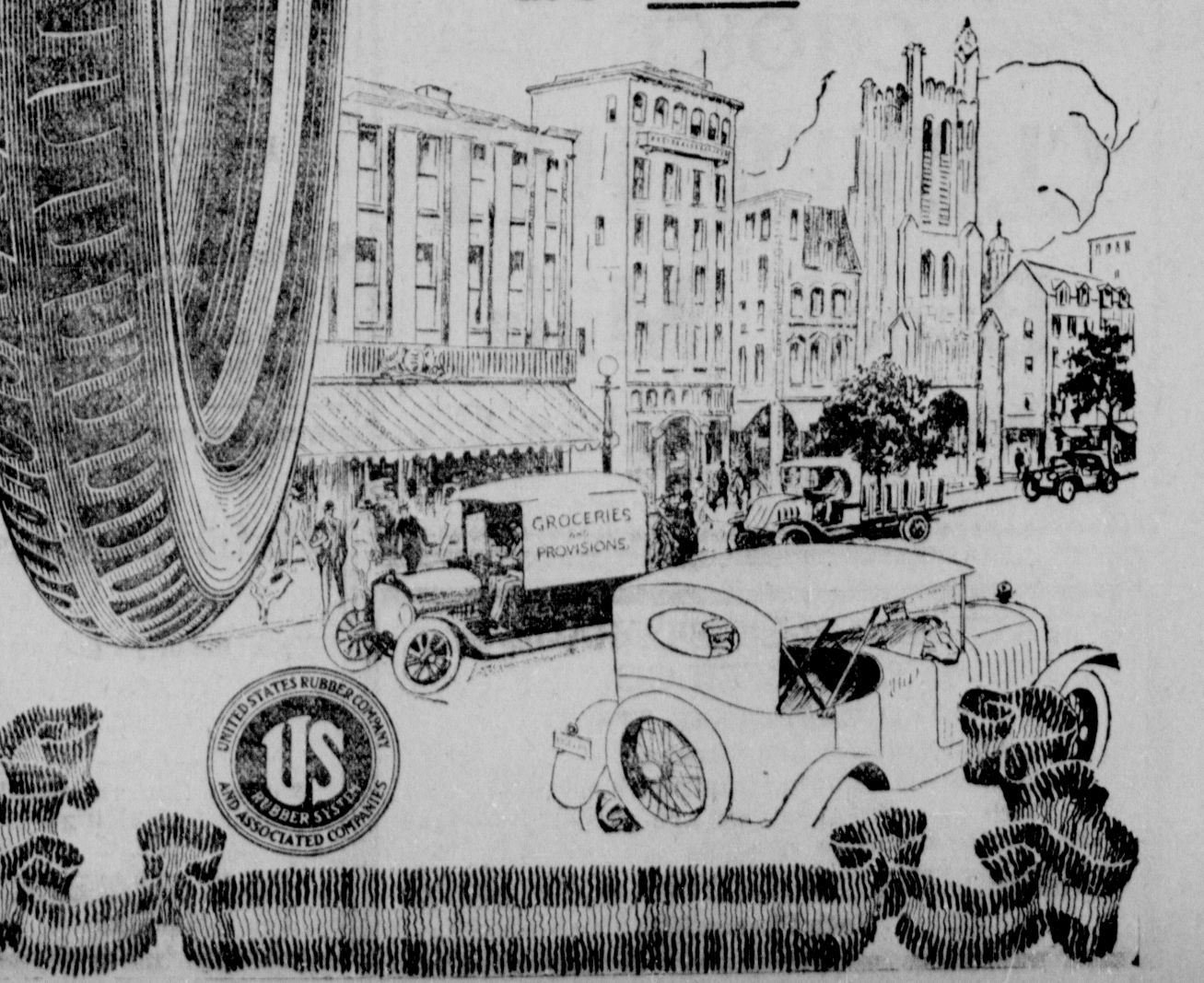
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WANTED—Light hogs. Bell phone
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4-28-tf.
WANTED—To buy young calf. Ill.
phone 010, or evenings. 4-28-tf.
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condition. Illinois phone 030. 4-28-tf.
WANTED—To rent a modern house.
Illinois phone 070. 5-2-3t.
WANTED—Washings and ironings to
do at home. 510 Goltz. 5-1-tf.
WANTED—Position by middle aged
lady as a companion or will assist in
housework. Illinois phone 430-3t.
WANTED—Place to work in private
family. Call 625 North Sandy St.
5-1-tf.
WANTED—Position as housekeeper
in widower's or bachelor's house
country preferred. Address "Posi-
tion" Care Journal. 4-27-3t.

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WANTED—To buy barn or shed
must be in fair condition and cheap.
Address "Barn," care Journal. 5-2-3t.
WANTED—By young man, one large
and one small room, with city water.
First floor preferred. Address "5-2-3t."
care Journal. 4-23-tf.
WANTED—Lawn mowers to sharpen
and repair at Seaver's Blacksmith
Shop, 301 North Main street. Illi-
nois phone 208. Called for and de-
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fer; auto for country trips. Either
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dered stars. 15. Flights made to or-
der for leagues, schools, etc. Will
make napkins, etc. Singer Co., 211
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FOR RENT—Houses always. The
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FOR RENT—Four room house. Apply
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age. 1030 West College Avenue. Lee
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Vocal solo, When the Flag is Full of Stars—Allee Burnett.

Patriotic address—James Kenney.

Vocal solo, The Long, Long Trail—Mildred Bennie.

Vocal solo, When the War is Over—Miss Harney, Jacksonville.

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PLANS OUTLINED FOR CENTENNIAL

Meeting Held in Basement of Ayers National Bank Wednesday Morning—General Plans Discussed—Committee Appointed to See About Floats—Other Committees to Be Appointed By Chair.

At a meeting of the general committee appointed to take charge of the Centennial celebration in Morgan county held in the basement of the Ayers National bank Wednesday morning plans for the kind of celebration were outlined.

T. W. Callihan, chairman of the committee, presided and there were present Dr. C. H. Rammelkamp, Capt. J. M. Swales, Mrs. Miller Weir, Miss Louise Gates, F. E. Farrell, H. H. Bancroft, F. J. Waddell and G. W. Davis of Jacksonville. W. N. Luttrell, Franklin, Harry Cade, Murrayville, W. M. Crum, Liberty, Dr. Hughes, Waverly, and Albert Cratz of Concord.

H. H. Bancroft Outlined Plans

After calling the meeting to order Chairman Callihan introduced Hon. H. H. Bancroft who gave the members of the committee an outline of the purpose of the Centennial celebration. The speaker gave a number of ideas as to floats and other things that the state centennial commission has suggested for local use.

Mr. Bancroft emphasized the fact that because of the war it is especially desirable that the centennial of the state be observed in a fitting manner. The speaker said that it would be well to portray some local feature of historic interest and said that Morgan county was rich in the history of the state.

Schools Will Take Part.

Following Mr. Bancroft the chair called upon Dr. Rammelkamp. The latter said that Mr. Bancroft had covered the ground pretty thoroughly as to the object of the celebration. Dr. Rammelkamp said that the historical society had selected a committee in order that the scope of the celebration might be widened.

The speaker said that it was especially desirable that there be floats showing the history and progress of education in Jacksonville and Morgan county.

He was of the opinion that all educational institutions would have a float in the processional pageant and that the state authorities had indicated that the three state institutions also would be represented.

T. W. Callihan then outlined what had been thought of in the matter of the pageant. He said that at the time of the admission of Illinois there were ten free states and ten slave states.

It had been suggested that floats be made to represent these states with Illinois in the center. Mr. Callihan also suggested that the various communities probably would have floats in the pageants representing some historic feature in their community.

The speaker was of the opinion that many merchants would furnish these floats or furnish their trucks upon which to place them. He also suggested that a committee should be appointed to confer with merchants and find out how many would furnish floats. Mr. Callihan outlined an elaborate program which if carried out, would make an imposing pageant with fifty or sixty floats.

Finances Important.

F. E. Farrell was heartily in accord with Mr. Callihan's ideas but said the first thing to be considered in connection with such an undertaking was the finances. He was of the opinion that it would be difficult to get merchants in general to build floats.

However, he thought that the plan could be financed and that the communities outside of Jacksonville would build a float and send it to Jacksonville to take part in the pageant.

F. J. Waddell agreed with Mr. Farrell that the expense was the most important item. He thought that committees should be appointed to take the matter in hand and see to the financing.

Other Cities Interested.

All of the men present representing districts outside of Jacksonville, Harry Cade of Murrayville, Albert Cratz of Concord, W. N. Luttrell of Franklin, W. M. Crum of Liberty and Dr.

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